

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, it is with tremendous pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State educators who provide an exceptional amount of time and energy to help today's students prepare for their roles as lifelong learners and future societal leaders; and

**Whereas**, Sharon Kosek has attained considerable distinction as a Business Coordinator and Administrative Office Systems Instructor at Hillyard Technical Center in the Saint Joseph School District; and

**Whereas**, Sharon Kosek enhanced her already impressive record of achievement when she was named as the Outstanding Teacher in Community Service during the December 2004 annual convention of the Association for Career and Technical Education; and

**Whereas**, chosen for special recognition on the basis of her work as advisor of the Phi Beta Lambda adult business school organization at Hillyard Technical Center, Sharon Kosek has led her group to partner with officers of Skills USA and the National FFA to form a President's Council to host the annual canned food drive which collected more than one thousand pounds of food for the Saint Joseph branch of America's Second Harvest Food Bank in 2004; and

**Whereas**, Sharon Kosek's students also prepared thousands of bulk mail pieces for the food bank's annual fund-raiser and sponsored a school-wide Community Blood Center Drive; and

**Whereas**, in addition to her leadership at Hillyard Technical Center, Sharon Kosek has been an active participant with Open Door Food Kitchen, Westminster Presbyterian Church, Saint Joseph School District Parent Teacher Association, Cotillion for Achievement, the Backpack Buddies walk-a-thon, Trails West!, Apple Blossom Parade, the Performing Arts Association Holiday Homes Tour Showcase, blood drives, book drives, coin drives, and food drives; and

**Whereas**, Sharon Kosek is the beloved wife of Larry, the loving mother of Stephanie Files and Sarah Parker, and the wonderful grandmother of Nathan:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Sharon Kosek for the regional, state, and national 2004 Outstanding Teacher in Community Service awards from the Association for Career and Technical Education and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Sharon Kosek of Saint Joseph, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Ed Wildberger  
District No. 27

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. , adopted, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker